

Business Use of Cryptography



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Purpose

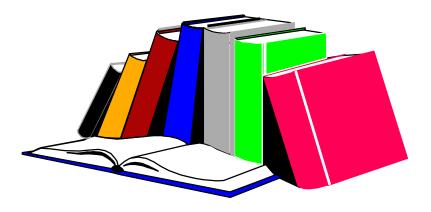
- Introduce Cryptographic Concepts
- Show Business Applications





Structure

- Concepts
- Examples
- Applications





Crypto....

- Cryptography
- Cryptology
- Cryptanalysis

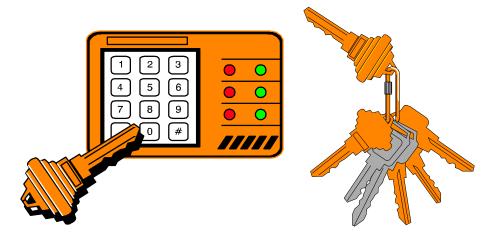




Concepts

- Plaintext
- Ciphertext
- Algorithms
- Keys







Security Terms

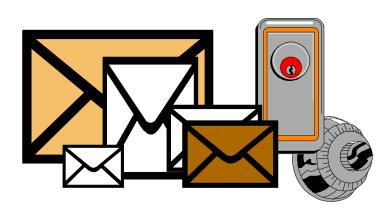
- Authentication
- Integrity
- Privacy





Business Practices

- Signatures, Badges, Passwords
- Envelopes, Locks, Seals
- Closed Doors







Cryptanalytic Techniques

- Known Text
- Educated Guessing
- Brute Force





Low Grade Algorithms

- Rot16
- UNIX Crypt Command



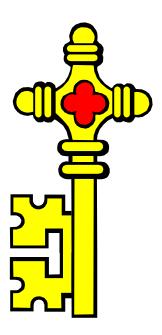
High Grade Algorithms

- DES
- IDEA
- RSA



Private Key Encryption

- Single Key to Encrypt/Decrypt
- Also Called Symmetric
- DES, IDEA





Public Key Encryption

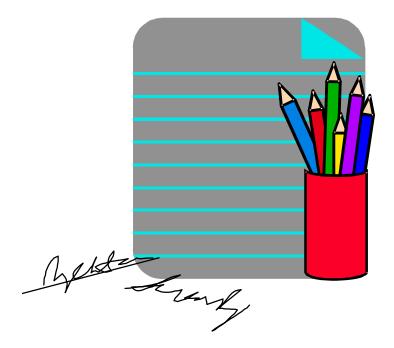
- Two Keys, One "Public"
- Can Encrypt or Sign
- RSA, Fortezza





Applications

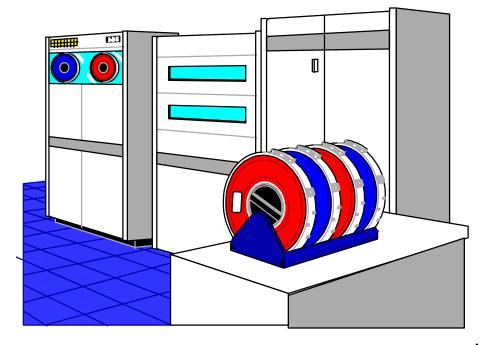
- Passwords
- Single Signon
- Digital Signatures
- Message Digests





UNIX Passwords

- DES
- Hash, Not Password, Stored
- Vulnerabilities

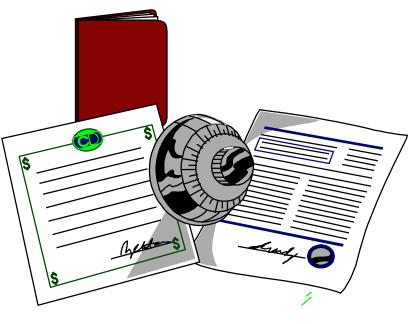




Kerberos

- DES
- No Passwords On Net
- Trusted Third Party
- Vulnerabilities







PGP

- RSA + IDEA
- Software Based
- Digital Signature + Encryption
- Online Public Key Distribution
- Chain of Trust





Fortezza

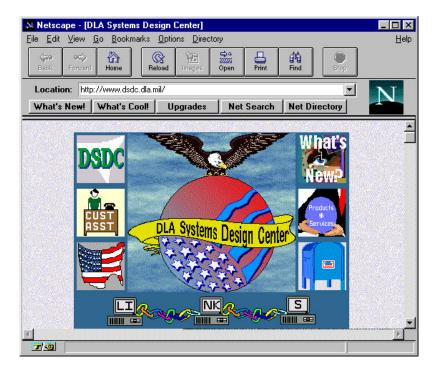
- Government Public Key Algorithm
- Hardware Based
- X.500 Public Key Distribution
- Key Escrow





SSL

- Netscape, Other Web Servers
- End to End Encryption
- RSA
- Certificate Authority





Issues

- Implementation Errors
- The Human Element
- Export Restrictions
- Key Escrow





Questions and References



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